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1. The Conseil de la Resistance in Cherbourg is composed of three main groups: the O.C.M., Liberation and the Front National:

The Chief of the Conseil de la Resistance, M. Groulin, is an O.C.R. leader and his organization holds the majority of seats in the Conseil. The O.C.M. is generally composed of merchants, landowners and notables who, prior to the armistice, were Rightists or extreme-Rightists.

Liberation, which claims to have been the most active and efficient movement in the Department, is led by and generally composed of Socialists and C.G.T. men. In fact all the Resistance Socialists and Union men are members of Liberation.

As in the rest of France, the Front National is here the Communist Party's resistance organization. It is not as influential here as it is reported to be in other regions.

2. The right hand man to M. Groulin is M. Bocher (Beauchet), who seems to be as well the most prominent labor leader of the Department. Bocher is at the same time secretary of the Regional Socialist Federation, secretary of the Merchant Sailor's Union, secretary of the Union des Syndicats, representative of the I.T.F. and head of the local Liberation movement. <sup>even</sup> He is a very efficient man and seems to be respected and esteemed by his political adversaries.

3. The enthusiasm in favor of the Allies described in the newspapers should not be overestimated. The Norwegians did not like the Germans and is glad that they have been thrown out. But a very

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great number of people here are suspicious of Resistance because of the presence of Communists and Socialists. Moreover, they are very reserved towards foreigners as a rule, and they are not sure of what the Allies intend to do. They are also puzzled about the currency which has been introduced. On the part of labor, there is a sincere enthusiasm for the victories of the democracies somewhat tempered by the way local problems are handled by military authorities. For example, the ~~Army or the Navy~~ have hired dozens of workers to repair the Cherbourg harbor, but ~~they have done it~~ without consulting the unions. (They have ~~thus~~ given work to ~~a lot of~~ former Todt workers, more or less reliable, while skilled workers who were in Resistance Movement are left unemployed. Instances of this kind are frequent.

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branch of the Communist Party, the demand to claim to have 4,000 registered  
members in the U.S. registered leaders interviewed declined to quote any figures.

15. Rather, I suspect that a communist put along a blue with the Christian piano solo then with the socialist, since the latter - as he put it - played party, later on, above the socialist theory.

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13. The Communist member of the Executive Committee of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, General Secretary of the Soviet Union, has been the only member of the Organization who has not been elected to the Executive Committee. The Soviet Union has been the only member of the Organization who has not been elected to the Executive Committee. The Soviet Union has been the only member of the Organization who has not been elected to the Executive Committee.

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3. "Statement made that the political situation is controlled by the existence of the political law, and that since the work of the revolution is over, these groups should disappear and give way to the political party. He maintains that the leaders of the U. G. are motivated by a sense of personal interest, their object being to replace the old position and the old leaders. He states that the idea of the general survey will be difficult to accomplish, and that individual demands joined the U. G. simply to demand the representation of their organization and to counter-balance the influence of the U. G.

1. Com. "N. Sitarovskii" in private conversation, and will offend, Socialist Union of America, in his speech before the Congress of the Socialist Federation of the United States, in September 1934, suggested the need for holding an all-American referendum. He pointed out that present concentration on the unpublished literature were not representative of the mind of the people or of the collectively or last public opinion. He said, "I therefore suggested that we hold an all-American referendum before we can pass any such serious action be considered necessary. In other words, before we do anything to liberate the people we should conduct a serious referendum in favor of the referendum, and of all preparation to be made by the people. I said the all-American referendum is a preliminary step in the process of our argument, and rather of all important preliminary steps in the process of our argument, and rather of all important preliminary steps in the process of our argument."

5. Council feels it possible that the Government is also in a position to find a way to start on a direct purchase of the equipment to have the same effect as the above-mentioned order. In a communication to the Commission, the Government has indicated that it is in a position to place an order in France without an order from the Commission.



5. The Socialists expect a certain part of the nation's vote. They feel that the vote will be heavily influenced by the clergy when they go to the polls. Despite this fact, however, the Socialists were not discouraged at the end of February.

3. Comparison of the two affidavits in regard to the fact: The direct statement  
concerning the deposition of the two affidavits is that, in January, at Madison,  
Wisconsin, the defendant of the two affidavits was of the age of 18 years at the  
time of the deposition of the two affidavits. About 300 witnesses and other persons  
were present at each party's deposition in the deposition of the two affidavits.  
The deposition of the two affidavits was conducted by J. J. J.  
in a private, confidential manner.

10. There was also much debate on the question of coalition action with the Communist Party, and it is clear that though a motion in favor of opening his coalition with the Communist Party, departed that level with a view toward building unity between the two parties was killed. However, Section One finally voted unanimously supporting the continuation of discussions even if this did, additional proof to him, above unity of the working class, and emphasizing the desire of the Communist Party for harmonious relations with the bourgeoisie. The motion carried by the Socialists and was due to be anti-socialist and expected, in effect, that the Communists would not be anti-socialist.

*A. Williams et al.*

that the CGP was not maintaining a sufficiently independent and apolitical attitude.

12. In discussing relations of the socialist party with resistance groups, J. Soldani, member of the Bureau Central of the party for the far southwest of the CN, expressed his deep regret over the fact that fusion between the socialist party and the CN had seemed impossible. He said he had hoped this fusion of non-socialists of the CN with the best elements of the socialist party would constitute a great revolutionary socialist party of the future. During the debate on the subject, he took vigorous, almost explosive exception to an insinuation by Cdt. Michel, member of the Bureau Central of the party, that the leaders of the CN were simply a group of arrivistes who were trying to take advantage of the situation of ante-political power.

13. As for foreign policy, the Congress expressed itself as opposed to the hegemony of any one great power, whether it be Britain, the United States or Russia, and in favor of a system of collective security, with all the democratic nations of the world equally represented in an international association of nations. This association should have its own army, credit, transport, etc. in order to be able to guarantee the peace. Regarding the treatment of Germany, the Congress voiced its opposition to any dismemberment of the country, but approved a long occupation with a severe allied control of all German industry and commerce and a long-range program for the reeducation of German youth.

14. Communist Party: According to Fr. Riecher, secretary of the London section of the socialist party, the Communists claim to have 4,000 registered members in the CN. Communist leaders interviewed declined to quote any figures.

15. Fr. Riecher, prominent Communist member of the CN, maintains that the Communists have gained many new followers in the CN since the war, at the expense of the socialists. He claims that this results to a large extent from the Communists' nationalist policy and also from their young, vigorous leaders, as compared with the socialists who still have the same leaders representing the old regime. He stated that the policy of the Communist Party would remain nationalist in the future; that it would be difficult to return to a revolutionary program.

16. Riecher asserted that the Communists get along better with the Christian Democrats than with the socialists, since the latter - as he put it - place party interests above the national interests.

17. The Communists are opposed to the holding of elections next February. Their reasoning, ostensibly in a nutshell, is as follows: no elections were scheduled before the recognition of the provisional government by the Allies as a means of holding a popular referendum and thus showing the Allies that De Gaulle and the country were still alive. Now that the Allies have recognized the De Gaulle government, the pressing need for immediate elections no longer exists. Besides, it would be not fair to sit for the return of the three million prisoners and deportees before proceeding to the polls. According to Fr. Riecher of the CN, however, the real reason the Communists are opposed to the elections is their fear of losing some of the strength which they now hold on the various depart-

mental and ideological liberation commission. Internally, M. Adrien has still indicated his personal opposition to the holding of elections at the present time, since the women's vote constituted an experiment and he was not in favor of conducting such experiments while France was still at war. (Adrien may well feel that to hold elections now would mean a loss of strength for the right as well as for the Communists.) Etienne Allegre, Communist municipal delegate, stated flatly that he believed the elections should be postponed, although the party is making its plans so as to have everything in readiness in case the elections are held in February.

18. Both Allegre and Pothier criticized the conduct of the war, M. Sevin, for not being vigorous enough in his handling of the affairs of the department, particularly the procurement of adequate food supplies. Pothier praised Sevin for his personal courage and for his active participation in resistance activities but pointed out that he was formerly secretary of the Goussier prefecture at Toulon and that he had not broken away from the old habits of the plodding government functionaries.

19. Pothier described Admiral Isidore, Marshal Maritime of Toulon, as a reactionary of the old tradition - along with the great majority of higher naval officers at the Toulon naval base.

20. According to Allegre, the Toulon edition of Jeune-Fidi, the Communist paper published in Marseille, has a daily circulation of 12,000 and a Sunday circulation of 15,000.

21. Mouvement Republicain Populaire: The Toulon section of the MRP was formed about one month ago. Its officers are: M. Labrousse, president; M. Jouzian, attorney, secretary; M. Guenier, worker at the David Arsenal, treasurer. A departmental federation of the MRP is in the process of organization; Labrousse hopes to have it organized before the end of the year. Labrousse claims a membership in the Toulon section of 1,000 - but this appears to be an exaggeration. Labrousse stated that the Toulon edition of the Christian newspaper newspaper, Le Journal, published at Marseille, has a local circulation of 2,000. This Toulon edition was started two weeks ago.

22. The Union Feminine Civique et Sociale (UFC) is the women's adjunct of the MRP at Toulon. As in Paris, the UFC in Toulon is making serious efforts to capture the women's vote. A series of three free weekly political lectures, starting 13 December 1945 had been organized by the UFC.

23. Radical-Socialist Party: It is universally stated that the Radical-Socialists are practically absent as a political force in the Var. No party headquarters has been established in Toulon, and aside from the brief newspaper announcement, no sign of any Radical-Socialist activity was discovered.

24. SN and SF: Pothier, of the SF, is optimistic over the possibility of fusion between the SF and the SN in the Var model after the agreement just reached between the two groups in the Department of the Gard. On the other hand, Arig e, of the SN, points out that many members of his organization are hesitant about uniting with the SF, because they see in this an attempt

on the part of the VV to absorb the VLN. However, he stated that discussions are still continuing between the two groups. He also asserts that although many members of the VV are not communists, all the positions of responsibility in that organization are held by communists.

25. In discussing to M. Besore, representative of the VV on the CFE, there were 24,000 registered members of the VV in the VV of 1 October 1947, an increase with 24,907 members in 1947. Besore considered one of the most urgent problems before the VV in the VV to be that of the mobilization of soldiers. Two workers are paid monthly paid (including expenses) to the soldier of equally skilled workers in other trades. This action of the VV was created by the VV which was paid very well in order to attract labor of certain high priority jobs. For example, workers in the building trades are getting up to 70 francs per hour, while skilled craftsmen and carpenters earn only 12 francs per hour. Besore points out that it is not possible to raise all salaries to the high level established by the Germans, since this would cause an inflationary trend. Therefore, the VV was faced with the delicate task of working out the new time for the reduction -- to a certain extent -- of some salaries and the raising of others.

#### Police and Military Units

26. Police Republican, Republican and Border Division (Garde Nationale) has been. The Police Republican and Republican have a total strength of 500 officers and men. In the VV, under the command of Lt. Colonel (GND) Barrat, their headquarters are at Villefrance, about 7 km. west of Lyon, at the Chateau de la Roche, a requisitioned private estate formerly occupied by the Vichy regime (Groupe Mobile de Reserve).

27. The two companies under Barrat form part of the 185 of the 15th Military Region (Garde, Haute Alps, Basses Alps, Alpes Maritimes, Hautes Alpes-Rhône, etc.) and are by regional command and placed under the command of General Gaillet. The 185 are an official, paid unit, working under the pretext in each department of the 15th Military Region, with the principal task of combating bandits, collaborationists and black marketers and of maintaining order. In the past, the 185 has the additional task of guarding the 10 political prisoners at the camp of Laval. Members of the 185 in the VV are all former VLN. The men are paid 2,000 francs monthly officers and noncommissioned officers receive regular army pay.

28. Barrat stated that he is short of arms and equipment for his men. There are officers for only 10 percent of his 500 men, and their total arms consist of 100 German Panzers and 100 light machine guns. Barrat pointed out that it would mean a great deal for the discipline of his men if they could all be properly armed and equipped. He hastened to add that in spite of circumstances, discipline was good. An inspection tour of the quarters, however, revealed a rather undisciplined situation; the men lacked the military appearance and bearing of trained soldiers. German prisoners working on the premises were more prompt than the members of the 185 to give attention to salute at the approach of Lt. Colonel Barrat.

29. Barrat stated that he had sent detachments out on expeditions against the

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35. Reuter also stated that some people were no longer ship for the Allies but rather to do with the decision of the Government to disarm the German civilian army. In this connection, he stated that the RAF and the US Army are not needed, since they had no confidence in the French army of the German army who had served the Vichy regime.

#### War Situation

36. Reuter stated that Toulon has suffered heavily from  Allied bombing. The port area was particularly hard hit, but a good deal of reconstruction has been done in the center of town as well. According to the municipal bureau of Reconstruction, of a total of 15,341 houses in Toulon, 953 were entirely destroyed and 1,311 were 50 percent destroyed and 5,920 were so damaged that it is extremely difficult to obtain building materials to take repairs. Houses which were only partially damaged are not able to withstand the effects of the weather. Many people who live here are temporarily living with friends and relatives, in shanty quarters; a large number have not yet returned to Toulon from the interior. There was also some damage during the bombing. Toulon normal population is of 100,000 and amounts to 50 percent of the total of the city. It had risen to about the end of the city, and is now about 100,000.

37. The municipal office for Reconstruction estimates needs of building materials for repairs as follows:

- 0.40 tons of tile shingles for roofing
- 3,000 tons of bricks
- 5,000 tons of plaster
- 1,000 tons of cement
- 1,000 tons of lime

200,000 square meters of window panes.

Temporary roofing repairs are being made with wood planks.

38. Reuter stated that conditions in Toulon are bad, the most serious shortages being milk for children, and fat and oil. There is only enough milk to last for one month for infants up to 9 months. According to Dr. Winkler, in order to provide milk for the 120,000 children of 3-12 months, 600 cans of condensed milk would be required daily. Another 200 cans daily would be needed for the 1,500 children 12 months to 3 years of age. But sources expressing the urgency of this problem. Dr. Winkler recommends that if any milk is shipped to Toulon, it be put at once in the municipal office for distribution. Instead of the Red Cross claiming that on previous occasions the American Red Cross was distributing through the French Red Cross, much of it found its way into the black market and never reached the children for whom it was intended.

39. Reuter stated that the fact that the city is a major producer of olive oil, there is a serious shortage of this product on the market. According to Allegre, manager in charge of the city market, whenever stocks of olive oil do exist in the region are blocked by the French Red Cross for distribution through the French Red Cross. This is a source of discontent among the people.

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41. Public conveyance facilities and water supply are good. The streets are generally lighted at night. Water supply is functioning in Medina and its environs. The city is connected with India by air and one internally daily with concrete with the Maricao and San Diego.

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Toulouse 12 Septiembre 1945.

INFLUENCIA DE LOS COMUNISTAS EN TOULOUSE

Los comunistas influyen totalmente en el "FRONT NATIONAL" y su diario "LE PATRIOTE", de Toulouse.

Asimismo en el COMITE FRANCE-ESPAGNE, cuyo Presidente Jean CASSOU, a pesar de no pertenecer al Partido Comunista, se deja manejar por el.

Igualmente en el Comite FRANCE-U.R.S.S.

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Report No. : F-6937  
Date of Report : 28 April 1946  
Information : Current

FRANCE: POLITICAL

Reported Replacement of "Front National" by a New Paper

The following report is from a member of the staff of "Front National" and is a close friend of Thorez. This information was disclosed directly to a well-tried source, who has extensive contacts in French press circles:

1. It appears improbable that "Front National" will continue to be published after the elections, because of the breaking down of this political formation, which is of no further interest - except perhaps a marginal one - to the Communist Party. However, until now, Thorez has been opposed to its disappearance.

2. At present the leaders of the CP are planning to replace it by a more effective organ, and are studying three possible solutions:

(a) A newspaper which might be called "Ce Matin", and which would be supplementary to "Ce Soir" which would be responsible for its publication. The directors of "Ce Soir", which is a successful paper, are opposed to this idea, because they do not see the necessity for placing an additional load on the budget.

(b) A paper exclusively for women and which would treat all questions interesting to women: the home, the factory, food, the child, clothing, education, etc. But it is wondered if women have not adopted the habit of reading their husbands' paper, and would not be reluctant to indulge in the expense of an extra paper.

(c) An evening paper which would sell for 3 fr., and which would be similar to "Le Monde" in form, and would be the leftist opposite number of that paper. This paper would be destined particularly for the elite, and would stress cultural matters, accurate documentation, etc. The difficulty lies in assembling a first rate editorial staff to handle the political, economic, financial and artistic departments of such a paper.

3. It appears likely that a decision will be reached before the end of May.

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Although this report is based principally on information received from HOMOHEDRAL, the chief facts have been confirmed by HOMESTRETCH and HOMCOHNE. Much of the information, especially the excerpts from CADI reports, was taken from the original CADI documents which HOMOHEDRAL lifted from the CADI files. (One of HOMOHEDRAL's sub-agents got the chef-woman who cleans the CADI offices to lift a few reports each night for a period of a week.) The Italian immigrant sent by this station to the CADI office is Ettore GUIDETTI.

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Subject: Comité D'Action et de  
Défense des Immigrés

Report #: WFM-535

Date of Information: See below

Place Acquired: Marseille

Date Acquired: 22 April 1949

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Date of Report: 29 April 1949

Source: HOMOEDRAL

1. The Comité d'Action et de Défense des Immigrés (CADI) was organized at Paris in November 1944 and operated overtly until ordered dissolved as a subversive group by a decree of the Ministry of the Interior in December 1948.

2. The principal organizations which joined to form CADI are as follows:

Parti Communiste Français  
Confédération Générale du Travail  
Conseil National de la Résistance  
Front National  
Union des Femmes Françaises  
Union des Patriotes Soviétiques  
Comité Italien de la Libération  
Comité d'Unité de la Défense Juive  
Union National de la Colonie Tchéco-Slovaque en France  
Union Démocratique des Hongrois en France  
Aide à la Patrie Polonaise  
Front National Arménien  
Italia Libera  
Front National Roumain  
Union de la Jeunesse Républicaine de France  
Union Nationale Espagnole en France  
Fédération des Espagnols Résistant en France

3. As the name CADI implies, the organization was formed to aid foreign immigrants in France. It was not ostensibly founded as a political organization, nor was it ostensibly designed to support any particular political party. Its apparent purpose was rather to give social and legal aid to any and all immigrants in France. Its social program was quite simple and was largely devoted to the distribution of food, clothing, shelter, and money to needy immigrants. Its legal program was two-fold: first, it offered legal assistance to the individual immigrants through its lawyers; and secondly, it sponsored a series of measures in the Chamber of Deputies which were designed to benefit the status of all immigrants.

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4. The measures which CADI sponsored were officially known as the "résolutions pour la promulgation d'un Statut Juridique des Immigrés", and demanded the following benefits for the immigrants:

- a. That "Cartes de résidents privilégiés" be granted to all immigrants, without exception, after three years residence in France.
- b. That immigrants be allowed to choose their place and type of employment.
- c. That immigrants be granted all the social benefits to which a French citizen is entitled.
- d. That expulsion from France be made dependent on a court order, rather than on a decree of the Ministry of the Interior.

5. CADI sponsored the above measures for all immigrants. For those certain immigrants who had volunteered for service in an Allied army, or had taken part in the Resistance, or had been deported to Germany, CADI made the following demands:

- a. That naturalization be granted by judges of the peace upon simple proof of the immigrant's claim to be in one of the above categories, and that all other naturalization requirements be waived.
- b. That all invalids, deportees, and widows of men of this category be entitled to the same social benefits as French citizens of similar classification.
- c. That the term "Mort pour la France" be added to the titles of the deceased of all immigrants of this category.

6. For those immigrants of the above category (para 5) who preferred to maintain their original citizenship, CADI demanded:

- a. That they be allowed to choose their place and kind of work and that they be permitted to change their profession whenever they so desired.

- b. That they receive all social benefits granted to French citizens.

- c. That all "administrative measures resulting from their antifascist activity before and during the War be annulled." (Field comment: This is a direct translation from the French and refers to any legal actions taken against immigrants who, as Communists, refused to obey the orders of the French government between September 1939 and the German attack on Russia.)

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7. CADI was largely successful in realizing its demands, for the Statute of Immigrants which was passed by the Consultative Assembly (the Statute was composed of the ordonnance of 24 March 1945, the ordonnance of 2 November 1945, the ordonnance of 19 October 1945, the ordonnance of 25 October 1945, and the decree of 25 December 1945) gave to immigrants an equality of rights approximate to those enjoyed by a French citizen. The most active supporter of the CADI measures in the Consultative Assembly in 1945 was Madelaine BRAUN, prominent Communist and one of the leaders of the PCF National. The Communist Party and the COT also heavily backed these measures.

8. Paragraphs 4 through 6 represent CADI's original program; it was overt, it was designed to benefit all immigrants, and it was supposedly non-political. To implement its program, CADI established branch offices throughout France in the cities which had large numbers of immigrants. These branch offices were known as Centres d'Action de Defense des Immigres. CADI also took the lead in organizing the annual National Congress of Immigrants (Congres National des Immigres), the first one of which was held in Paris on 25 January 1946. H. MURACHA, representative of the Ministry of Industrial Production presided. In 1947, CADI again sponsored the congress, now called the International Congress of Immigrants in France (Congres International des Immigres en France), which took place in Paris 15 February to 17 February. Some 15,000 delegates, representing 3 million immigrants of all nationalities, attended. Justin GODARD, president of CADI, made the principal speech. Louis BAILLIANT, secretary-general of the COT and president of the CMI, was a member of the sponsoring committee and sat on the speakers' platform. The sponsors' committee for the 1947 Congress which was also held at Paris in February, consisted of Justin GODARD, Louis BAILLIANT, Jacques BRULOS, Albert BAYET (delegate of the Ligue des Droits de l'Homme), PINHEAU (director of the Union de Jeunessees Republicaines de France), Madelaine BRAUN, and Joseph BOUTIN (lawyer for the Lettres Francaises in the KRASCHENKO case).

9. Although the ostensible and apparent purpose and activities of CADI were those outlined in paragraphs 8 to 6, its true purpose and its clandestine activities were quite different. CADI was not the non-political organization that it professed to be, but was in fact a tightly controlled Communist organization. To be sure, the legislative measures it supported benefited all immigrants, but they were designed primarily to help Communist immigrants. Similarly, CADI's program of aid to immigrants was restricted solely to Communist or pro-Communist immigrants. The true purpose of CADI was to aid Communist and

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pro-Communist immigrants to enter France; to aid them in establishing themselves in France; to place them in industries, mining, and agriculture; to organize them into faithful followers of the Communist Party; and finally to control them.

10. In order to realize its true purpose, CADI embarked on a clandestine program which may be divided into three major parts: the supplying of certain necessary identification papers, to illegal Communist immigrants, the placing of these immigrants in certain jobs, and the organizing of these particular immigrants, along with all the foreign laborers in France, into submissive groups which would follow the orders of the COT and the Communist Party.

11. Evidence of this first activity is found in the CADI office in Marseille. This office is currently operating a program whereby any avowed Communist immigrant coming to the office is furnished a "carte de travailleur étranger", given a job in industry or agriculture, and, for the sum of 5,000 francs, is furnished with a naturalisation decree.

12. (Field Comment:

Having heard from two sources that CADI was operating such a program, this station sent on 10 March 1949 one of source's sub-agents, an Italian immigrant who had entered France clandestinely, to the Marseille CADI, at 8 Place de la Prefecture, to ascertain if these reports were true. At CADI our sub-agent was received by Georges LINIVER. Our sub-agent then presented himself as an Italian immigrant who entered France clandestinely and asked that he be given a "carte de travailleur étranger". LINIVER asked our sub-agent who had sent him to CADI, to which the sub-agent replied, "I am a Communist." LINIVER asked to see the sub-agent's Party card, and the latter showed it to him. LINIVER then asked the sub-agent if he had a job in France, to which the sub-agent replied in the negative. LINIVER told the sub-agent to return in two weeks at which time he would give him an "autorisation de séjour", and in three weeks, he would provide him with a "carte de travailleur étranger". LINIVER also promised to give our sub-agent an agricultural job in Sete (Hérault). Finally, LINIVER told our sub-agent that for 5,000 francs he would provide him with naturalisation papers. Our sub-agent replied that he wanted such papers, but that he would first have to acquire the money. The interview ended with both men raising their fists in the Communist salute.

13. From questioning our sub-agent, it appears that the papers CADI furnishes are genuine papers which they obtain through the connivance of certain individuals in the Marseille Prefecture.

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The sub-agent's sister unfortunately died in Paris on 12 March. The sub-agent then left immediately for Paris and has not yet returned. Upon his return to Marseille, this station will send him back to CADI to claim his "carte de séjour" and "carte de travailleur étranger". We will also give him 5,000 francs with which to acquire his naturalization papers and we will direct him to accept the proffered job in Sète.)

14. Additional evidence that CADI is engaged in supplying these papers is found in the fact that on the 24, 25, and 26 of January 1949 four foreigners presented themselves at the office of the Confédération Générale des Internés et Déportés Politiques de la Résistance et des Victimes de l'Oppression Nazie et du Ràssisme where, thinking they were at the CADI office, they asked that they be given "cartes de séjour". These men were:

✓ HILLER, Robert - born in Baden, Germany  
✓ JACOBSON, Carl - born in Hamburg, Germany  
✓ GEORGES, Morice - born in Seckelymonakely, Hungary  
✓ LASZLO, Alexandre - born in Maravakely, Hungary

These four had entered France clandestinely and each had been told before leaving his own country to apply to CADI for his French papers.

15. The following excerpts from CADI reports indicate CADI's activity in placing immigrants in industries and in agriculture.

a. "The Poles sent by CADI into the iron and coal mines number 40,000. In addition CADI has placed 20,000 Polish agricultural workers in France." (Field comment: From a report by LOUKA, delegate of the Conseil National Polonais en France.)

b. "In the large chemical and metallurgical factories of Marseille one-third of the employees are immigrants. In the Aciéries du Nord, 340 workers are foreigners; the Cotel Plant, 485 workers are immigrants. CADI has placed many of these men and will continue to place as many again." (Field comment: From a report of Guido ZAMIS, CADI secretary in Marseille.)

c. "There are 3,800 foreigners in the coal mines at Carmaux-les-Mines. CADI has placed 20% of these men." (Field comment: From a report of the CADI representative for the TARN department.)

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16. The following excerpts from CADI documents indicate CADI's activity in organizing the immigrant laborers into submissive groups ready to follow CADI-COT-Communist orders:

a. "It is necessary that CADI take the lead in organizing these foreign laborers in strong and democratic unions. We must protect them from their capitalist oppressors and we must aid them in their struggle against their employers. In CADI and in the COT, the immigrant finds his strength." (Field comments: From a report by Louis PETIT, one of the organizers and national leaders of CADI.)

b. "It is through CADI that the immigrant masses are able to mobilize for the tasks which lie before the whole country. It is CADI which must educate the immigrants in the ways of true democracy and it is for CADI to lead them in their struggle." (Field comments: From a report of LAROCHE, secretary-general of CADI.)

c. "Before the war, the countries from which these immigrants came were under the control of Fascist and reactionary regimes. The immigrants left their homes without hope of returning. Now things have changed; the countries from which they came are today true democracies and they now have the problem of helping those of their former citizens who are now living outside their borders. It is CADI who, working with these democratic governments, is attempting to obtain the rights of liberty and democracy for these immigrants now in France." (Field comments: From a letter written by Louis PETIT.)

d. "We are proud to be from a region where the majority are immigrants, the immigrants who organized the great strike of 100,000 workers during the occupation under the leadership of Auguste LECORUR. In those times, all orders were executed clandestinely, and we will execute them today with the same enthusiasm. CADI must lead the way." (Field comments: From a speech by the CADI secretary in the Pas-de-Calais.)

e. "The control of the recruiting of immigrant workers must be done in a rigorous manner by CADI and the French workers' unions. We must prevent the immigrant worker from becoming a tool in the hands of the capitalists." (Field comments: From a speech by GIOVETTI, (CNU), delegate of Italia Libera.)

17. Further evidence of CADI's activity in organizing the immigrant workers is found in CADI files. - Report after report from various CADI delegates throughout France list by

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nationality the number of immigrant in their areas, and in addition many of the reports note the number of these immigrants who are under CADI control. These reports are all similar, and it is sufficient to quote from one: "More than 50% of the miners in the Loire basin are immigrants; of these, the following percentages adhere to CADI: 98% of the Poles, all the Yugoslavs, 80% of the Portuguese, 80% of the Italians, and 75% of the Hungarians." (Field comment: From a report by CADI secretary from the Loire.)

18. Although supposedly dissolved by Ministerial decree in December 1948, CADI continues to operate clandestinely throughout France. Its present national president is Justin GODARD, former minister; FRYDMAN, (fnu), a member of the Comité d'Unité de la Défense Juive, is vice-president; CLAROCHE, (fnu), is secretary-general. National Headquarters are located at 108 rue de l'Université, Paris. The principal organizations supporting CADI today are those listed in paragraph 9, except for those of these organizations which have ceased to exist.

19. CADI functions in conjunction with these organizations and in addition it has its own delegates scattered throughout France in the industrial and mining regions. Among the CADI delegates are the following:

HORCADO - delegate of the Federation des Espagnols  
Résident en France  
LOUKA - delegate of the Conseil National Polonais  
en France  
GIOVETI - delegate of Italia Libera  
KOVACS, Muranyi - secretary-general of the Union  
Démocratique des Hongrois en France  
PANAS - member of the Front National Hellénique  
MULLIK - member of the Front National Arménien  
VINCIGUERRA - president of the Union des Volontaires  
Etrangers  
SOBU - delegate of the Front National Roumain  
CONTI, Mme. Germaine - secretary of the CADI in Paris  
ZIGLEY - delegate of the Union Nationale de la Colonie  
Tcheco-Slovaque en France  
QUERRIERO - member of the Federation des Immigrés Portugais  
HOLLAND - delegate of CADI on Eastern France  
FRYDMAN - vice-president of CADI; delegate of the Comité  
d'Unité de la Défense Juive.  
PETIT, Louis - one of the organizers and responsables of  
CADI

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(Field comment: It is realized that some of the organizations of which these men are listed as delegates have been dissolved, notably Italia Libera and the Front National Armenien. However, the names of the individuals and their affiliations are shown exactly as they appeared on CADI documents.)

80. CADI is well-financed. Its principal financial support comes from the Communist Party and the COT. (Field comment: CADI documents acknowledge unspecified contributions from these organizations. One of source's informants, the chief of the Foreigners' Section of the Marseille Prefecture, has stated that he knows the Marseille CADI has an undetermined quantity of rubles, presumably received from the Communist Party.)

81. In Marseille, the CADI office was established by Guido ZANIS and George LINIVER in March 1945. It was originally located on the Blvd. du Muy, but in September 1947 it transferred to 3 Marche des Capucins. In February 1948 it moved to 97 rue Longue des Capucins and then, after it was ordered dissolved, it continued to function clandestinely at 2 Place de la Prefecture, where it remains today. ZANIS remains the director of the Local CADI, assisted by LINIVER.

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2. The Coast of the African continent, as shown on the map, is a long, narrow strip of land, extending from the north to the south of the continent. It is bounded by the Atlantic Ocean to the west and the Indian Ocean to the east. The coast is characterized by a series of bays, gulfs, and peninsulas, which are separated by narrow straits and channels. The climate is generally hot and humid, with a high level of rainfall. The vegetation is dense and tropical, with a variety of fruits and crops. The population is large and diverse, with many different ethnic groups and languages. The economy is based on agriculture, fishing, and trade. The coast is a vital part of the continent, providing a link between the interior and the world.

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4. Removal of the name of the company from the list of companies

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Further Arrests and  
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1. The following persons, all of whom have been particularly active in connection with Rumanian Communist Party affairs, especially within the Paris Legation, were arrested by the French Security Force on 15 November:

Mlle. SMILBU, a cobbler, and member of the Front National Romain (Field Comment: SMILBU has previously been reported by Source as a rich man, though cobbler by profession. He has property at Larocheval (Seine et Oise). At Paris, he lives at 1, rue Anjou. He is a frequent visitor and telephone caller at the Rumanian Embassy.)

Georges LAMAR, member of the Front National Romain

Martin-KOENIGER, Legation employee ( )

Georgine WILLARD, a French citizen and noted Communist.

In addition to the above and belonging to the same category is Mlle. LAMAR, who was arrested on 17 November.

2. The apartments of the foregoing were searched, but apparently nothing of importance was found. Subsequently, the five incriminated persons were released.

3. The Association des Femmes Als de la France (Front National) was involved by order of the Security Force, which has also forbidden the publication of the newspaper Als Romain Libre.

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TO: SAC  
 FROM: SAC, B. Gerson  
 SUBJECT: [redacted], Marseille

20 April 1949

Re: [redacted] Communist in Cannes  
 [redacted] [redacted]  
 Ref: [redacted] [redacted]  
 Ref: [redacted] [redacted]

FILE

1. Subject is a prominent Communist in Cannes and is currently one of the leading members of the "Partisans de la Liberte" in this city. He was one of the organizers of the "Front National" in the Alpes-Maritimes.

2. In 1945 he was elected mayor of Cannes (which also made him mayor of La Bocca, a quarter of Cannes). He ran for re-election as mayor in October 1947, but was defeated.

3. In 1945 he was also elected as a Conseiller General in the district of Cannes, but was defeated when running for re-election to this office on March 20-21, 1949.

4. In 1947, he was elected as a Conseiller Municipal in Cannes and currently holds this office.

5. Subject is married and has one daughter, aged 20. His address is Chalet Jarcou, Cannes (on the road to Antibes).

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TO Chief, FBI

DATE 26 March 1951

FROM Chief of Station           

SUBJECT: GENERAL: Transmittal

SPECIFIC: List of Allied Communist dominated organizations

1. Attached is a copy of a list given to Leon H. CHIDMAN recently by Jack West, Legal Attache. The attachment was originally given to West by Keith Angell, Security Office, ECA-OSR, Paris. Mr. Angell advised that he had received this list from a source in the Prefecture of Police, Paris, and that it is based upon information in Prefecture files and investigation by that agency.

2. It will be noted that this list is apparently of quite recent date in that these international organizations recently expelled from France (IPDM, WFDY, WFTU) are noted as "dissolved".

3. Mr. West also transmitted a copy of this list to Mr. William Crawford           

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ASSOCIATIONS FRANÇAISES D'AMITIÉ

Parti Communiste Français, 1, rue de la Victoire; 120 rue Lafayette.

Amicale des Anciens de la 1<sup>re</sup> Noire, 13 rue Frenicourt (15<sup>ème</sup>).

Amicale des Jeunes de Guerre, 30 rue René Boulanger (10<sup>ème</sup>) Bot. 21.31.

Amicale des Volontaires de l'Armée (Républicaine), 45 rue du Pg Montmartre, (9<sup>ème</sup>) - Prov. 02.49

Amicale Nationale des Villes Municipales communistes de France, 1 rue de Maubourg (9<sup>ème</sup>) Tru. 78.31

Amicale Nationale des Villes Républicaines de France, 1 rue de Maubourg (9<sup>ème</sup>) Tru. 78.31

Amis de la Commune, 37 rue du Louvre (2<sup>ème</sup>)

Amis de la Nature, 19 rue St-Georges (9<sup>ème</sup>) - Tru. 49.86

Amis de la Paix 37 rue Jouvenet (16<sup>ème</sup>) - Jan. 86.04

Amities Franco-polonaises 9 boulevard des Italiens (2<sup>ème</sup>) - Ric. 01.85.

Association des Travailleurs Scientifiques, 37 rue Geoffroy St-Hilaire (5<sup>ème</sup>)

Association d'Etudes et d'Informations municipales, 1 rue de Maubourg (9<sup>ème</sup>) Tru. 78.31

Association Nationale des Anciens P.F.I. - P.T.P.F. et de leurs Amis, 17 boulevard des Italiens (2<sup>ème</sup>) - Ric. 46.27

Association Nationale des Cheminots Anciens Combattants, 9 rue Gaston-court, Mar. 04.97

Association Nationale des Familles de Fusillés, 10 rue Leroux (16<sup>ème</sup>) Ric. 71.60

Association Nationale des Rapatriés d'Indochine, 19 rue St-Georges (9<sup>ème</sup>) Tru. 09.85

Association des Veuves Orphelins Ascendants Victimes des deux Guerres, 3 rue de Tilsitt (8<sup>ème</sup>)

Association Républicaine des Anciens Combattants, 45 Pg Montmartre (9<sup>ème</sup>) Prov. 02.49

ASSOCIATIONS FRANÇAISES D'AMITIÉ

Centre de Diffusion du Livre et de la Presse (12e), 142 Boulevard Mideret  
(12eme) Bor. 41.59 - 45.05 - 51.30.

Centre laïque de l'orientation de l'enseignement des œuvres pour l'enfance,  
8 av. Mathurin Moreau (10eme) - Bor. 46.50

Combattants de la Paix et de la Liberté, 3 rue des Pyramides (1er) Ope. 35.87

Comité Français de Défense des Indigènes, 15 rue Montmartre (10eme) Prov. 82.78

Comité Français de la Jeunesse Démocratique, 19 rue St-Georges (Seme)  
Tru. 00.83

Confédération Générale de l'Agriculture, 11 bis, rue Serlio (Seme) Ope. 50.90

Comité National des écrivains, 2 rue de l'Elysée (Seme) Anj. 03.79

Comité National des Journalistes, 2 rue de l'Elysée (Seme)

Comité National des Pharmaciens, 15 rue Rilla (Seme)

Confédération Nationale des Locataires, 23 rue Arthur Dauter (10eme) Nord. 22.51

Confédération Générale du Commerce et de l'Industrie, 149 rue du Temple  
(Seme) - Tru. 57.45

Confédération Générale Unifiée de l'Artisanat, 10 rue des Filles du Calvaire  
(Seme) - Tru. 53.29

Conseil National de la Jeunesse, 1 rue Verret (Seme) - Ely 46.53.

Coopérative de Production et de Diffusion S. Films, 41 rue de Chabrol (Seme)  
Pro. 07.05

Éclaireurs Français Unifiés, 31 rue St-André des Arts (Seme) - Ope. 73.24

Éditions de la Jeunesse, 9 rue Humblot (15eme) - Reg. 12.91

Éditions Sociales, 64 Rld Auguste Blanqui (15eme) - Gob. 45.41

Fédération des Chœurs et Groupes Artistiques de la Jeunesse, 9 rue Humblot  
(15eme) - Reg. 15.01

Fédération des Locataires, 32 bis, Rld Richard Lenoir (11eme)  
Noq. 90.20

Fédération Française des Clubs, 2 rue de l'Elysée (Seme)  
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Federation Musicale Populaire, 2 rue de l'Elysee (9eme) - Anj. 21.54

Federation Nationale des Reporters Internes et Assistants Patriotes,  
10 rue Leroux (10eme) - Ete. 71.50, 59.10, 57.52.

Federation Nationale des Combattants Prisonniers de Guerre, 46 rue Copernic  
(11eme) - Pop. 43.92

Federation Nationale des Reporters du Travail, 5 rue du 18 Poissonniere (10eme)  
Prov. 15.01

Federation Nationale des Directeurs de Colonies de Vacances,  
28 rue St-Merri (4eme)

Federation Nationale de lutte anti-Tuberculeuse, 2 av. Mathurin Moreau (19eme)  
Tel. 56.05

Federation Nationale des Prisonniers de Guerre, 62 rue Chaussee d'Antin (9eme)  
Tri. 43.23

Federation Nationale des Sinistres, Pairie de Noisy le Sec, Nord. 26.59

Federation Sportive et Gymnique du Travail, 19 rue St-Georges (9eme) Tru. 49.88

France - Espagne, 4 Bte Ponthiers (9eme) Tri. 05.28

France - Roumanie, 16 rue Vexelay (8eme) Lab. 26.68

France - Tchechoslovaquie, 18 rue Bonaparte (6eme) - Gie. 20.20

France - U. S. S. R., 20 rue d'Anjou (8eme), Anj. 19.54

France - Vietnam, 40 rue d'Argout (8eme), Lou. 08.20

Front National, 19, rue St-Georges (9eme) Tru. 49.84

Ligue Francaise de l'Enseignement, 3 rue Becquerel (6eme) Lit. 88.71

Mouvement des Intellectuels Francais pour la Defense de la Paix,  
3 rue des Pyramides (1er) Gie. 39.02

Mouvement National Judiciaire, Palais de Justice, 111 du Palais (4eme)

Plein Air Jeunes, 9 rue Humblot (15eme) Cog. 11.01

Radio - Liberte, 5 rue Lamartine (9eme) Tru. 71.82

Secours Populaire Francais, 11 1/2 Montmartre (2eme) Cent. 27.70

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Travail et Culture, 5 rue des Valenciennes - Paris (8) Tan. 39.03  
 Tourisme et Travail, 18 rue d'Antverpille (8). Pro. 30-48 et 30.19  
 Union de la Jeunesse Republique de France, 9 rue Humblot (15)  
 Segur 10.44  
 Union des Architectes Français, 14 rue de Cherche-Midi (9)  
 Union des Artistes Modernes, 11bis Maillet-Stevens, Rue Maillet-Stevens  
 Union des Arts Plastiques, 2 rue de l'Elysee (8) Anj. 91.54  
 Union des Chans et Folies de la Jeunesse, 9 Rue Humblot (15)  
 Segur 11.01  
 Union des Chirurgiens Dentistes Français, 22 Rue Maille Monier (10)  
 Union des Femmes Françaises, 12 Bis rue d'Astorg (8). Anj. 34.66  
 Union des Ingénieurs et Techniciens Français, 2 rue de l'Elysee (8)  
 Union des Jeunes Filles de France, 9 Rue Humblot (15). Seg. 11.70  
 Union des Juifs pour la Résistance et l'Entr'Aide, 14 Rue de Paradis  
 Union des Médecins Français, 2 Rue de Sese (8). Opera 74.40  
 Union des Vaillants & Vaillantes, 5 Bd Montmartre (9). Cou. 75.51  
 Union Française des Anciens Combattants, 20 R. de la Chaussée d'Antin  
 Union Française des Auberges de la Jeunesse, 140 Bd Hausmann (8)  
 Union Française Universitaire, 19 Rue de Jussieu (3). Por. 13.38  
 Union Nle des Etudiants de France, 15 rue Soufflot (5) Dant. 71.40  
 Union Nle des Intellectuels, 2 Rue de l'Elysee. Anj. 91.54  
 Union Nle des Spectacles, 2 Rue de l'Elysee, Anj. 91.54  
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Bureau de liaison des intellectuels en la défense de la Paix, (Bureau du  
Congrès de l'Yvette), 2 rue de l'Yvette, Ely. 14.20

Federation Democratique Internationale des Femmes, 12 rue de l'Yvette (14)  
Jawain 05.04 (Dissolved)

Federation Internationale des Anciens Prisonniers Politiques, 12 rue de l'Yvette (14)  
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Federation Internationale des Juristes Democratiques, chez M. de la Haye,  
12 rue de l'Yvette (14) Ely. 14.20

Federation Mondiale de la Jeunesse Democratique, 21 rue de l'Yvette (14)  
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Federation Syndicale Mondiale, 1 rue de l'Yvette (14), Ely. 14.20 (Dissolved)

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OFFICIAL DISPATCH

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6 October 1948

TO: Chief, FBW *Communist Activities*

THROUGH: Chief of Station,

FROM: Chief of Station,

SUBJECT: Organisation of the French Communist Party in the Marseille Area

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The following is a survey of the organization and membership of the French Communist Party in the Marseille Area:

Departmental Federation: headquarters, 18 ~~places~~  
Leon Gambetta

Federal Secretary: Denis BIZOT

Federal Secretariat: *of French CP, marseille area*

Pierre DOIZE  
Josette REIBAUT  
Marius COLOMBANI

Federal Bureau:

Denis BIZOT - in charge of political section  
Pierre DOIZE  
Josette REIBAUT  
Marius COLOMBANI  
Lucien MOLINO - 19 Blvd. Bardillat  
Jean CRISTOFOL  
Pierre SEMANURLLI - in charge of Press-Propaganda  
Ludovic TROUIN - in charge of organization  
Passal FOSADO  
Henri BERTINI  
Rene LALLEMAND  
Yvonne REBACHY  
Paul COURTISU  
Jean CLAVIERIE (alias POLLEY) - in charge of recruiting and interior police. A particularly dangerous person.

Federal Committee

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Foreigners in the French Communist Party number about 7,000, and are divided as follows:

Italians	1,200
Belgians	1,000
Spaniards	1,000 (of which 500 are exiles)
Portuguese	800
Swiss	200
British	100
Irish	100
Polish	100
Russians	100

II. Political Activities

III. Communist Party of the United States

IV. General Information

1. Name of Party: Communist Party of the United States  
2. Headquarters: New York City  
3. National Office: 100 West 42nd Street, New York City  
4. State Office: 100 West 42nd Street, New York City  
5. Local Office: 100 West 42nd Street, New York City

V. Financial Information

1. Source of Funds: Contributions from members and sympathizers

2. Estimated Annual Income: \$1,000,000

3. Estimated Annual Expenditure: \$1,000,000

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FEDERATION UNITE DES SCIENTISTES ET DES CHIMISTES DE LA FRANCE

Union des Forces Francaises, Marseille Area

Headquarters: 41 Cours Liebert

Departmental Offices:

Secretary: SIMONE LEBLANC  
Members: Gauthier LEBLANC  
(4,000) Jeanne LEBLANC

Union de la Jeunesse Republicaine de France, Marseille Area

Headquarters: 81 Rue de la Paix

Pres. Sec'y: LUCIEN GASTELLES

Secretary: RICHARD

About 1,000 members

Union des Forces Francaises de France, Marseille Area

Secretary: [illegible]

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Honorary Members of the Committee:

CALLAS (Ex chief of FTP in the Bouches-du-Rhone)  
CAPORALI (Cmdt)  
CLAUDIE (Cmdt)  
OILETTE (Lt. Col.)  
GRANVILLE (Colonel)  
KORVAN (Cmdt)  
PELLETIER (Colonel)  
PETRE (Colonel)  
POZZO DI BORGO (Cmdt)  
SIMON (Colonel)  
SENATORE (Cmdt)

Membership: 3,600, of which 3,000 are members of CP,  
300 are CP sympathizers and 200 non-sympathizers

Secours Populaire Français

Headquarters: 8 rue Villeneuve  
Secretary: OLIVI  
Fed. Officers: DEVIL  
CHERRI  
MANETTI  
ROIG  
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ARNCOUX  
CATALA

Vaillants et Vaillantes

Fed. Commissaires: Charles LECA  
Fed. Director: Paul ESTEVE  
This movement is directed at youths of less than 18 yrs.

Universite Nouvelle

Members: Casimir JOUSSEIRON, Prof. at University of Aix  
Georges MOUNIER, Writer  
Francis HALBNACHS, Fellow at University of Aix  
This movement is directed at university groups.

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President: Perrine SOUS

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Association France-Roumanie

Committee Members:

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COHEN	RUYSSEN
FROLY	ROSLIAND
GLOCCANTY	SACHTER
HAINICLE	SSPAN
LION	THERAN

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Association France-URSS

Headquarters: 68 rue Montgrand

Association Nationale des Fusilles et Massacres

Sec'y. General: Mme. GEORGES  
Legal Counselor: Mlle. JUIFFRA

Association des Volontaires pour l'Espagne Republicaine

Headquarters: 4 rue St. Jacques

Association Republicaine des Anciens Combattants

Headquarters: 4 rue St. Jacques  
President: Adrien MOUTON  
Secretariat: SENATORE and J. MOUTET  
Treasurer: J. CLERC  
This organization is made up of 60 sections

Union Francaise des Anciens Combattants

President: RIEU-ROY  
Vice-Pres: DUPUY  
Sec'y-Gen: GUERINI  
Treasurer: BRISSEC

Officiers de Reserve Republicains

Headquarters: 20 Blvd. Paul Peytral  
Honorary Presidents: GRANIER and PETRE  
Secretary: BAUD  
Asst. Sec'y: PAC  
Treasurer: GLOT

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Front National

Headquarters: 18 Allées Jean Gambetta

Groupement National des Refractaires et Maquisards

Headquarters: 41 and 43 rue Grignan  
Dept. Sec'y: PROLY

Milices Patriotiques

President: RIPERT  
(RIPERT was in command of a CRS unit which was dissolved after the events of December 1947, and is now chief of a Communist shock troop group.)

Federation Nationale des Deportés et Internés Patriotes

Headquarters: 54 La Canebiere  
President: Colonel PETRE  
Vice-Pres: Abbe COGNAC

Italia Libera

Headquarters: 55 rue d'Alger  
President: Mario MAGLIOCCO  
Secretary: Aurelio BERTINO

Front National Armonien

Headquarters: 67 rue Longue des Capucines  
President: SAATCHIAN  
Secretary: HATORIKIAN

PC Espagnol

Departmental Director: Fausto JIMENEZ

VARIOUS OTHER COMMUNIST-AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

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Union Republicaine et Resistante pour l'Union Francaise  
Benjamins et Benjamines  
Pionniers et Pionnières  
Federation Nationale des Sinistres  
Association des Veuves de Guerre  
Comités d'Entreprises  
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IMPORTANT LINGUISTIC CENTERS

Marseille	Miramas
Arles	Fort de Bouc
Aubagne	Varignane
La Ciotat	Sardanne
Artigues	St. Louis du Rhone
St. Chamas	

In case of Communist insurrection, it would be necessary to count on 12 to 15 thousand "lie-hards", and 20 to 25 thousand who would be apt to side with the Communists.

RESULTS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ELECTIONS OF 1945

Votes cast	404,231
Communist votes	157,452 (38.9% of total)

RESULTS OF THE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS OF 1947

Number of mayoralties to be elected	117
Number of Communists defeated	26 (22%)
Number of Communists elected	17 (14.5%)

POLITICAL MAJORITIES IN MUNICIPALITIES

Prior to 1947 - 19 municipalities Communist controlled (16.2%)  
 After 1947 - 12 municipalities Communist controlled (10.3%)  
 Municipal elected jobs held by Communist:  
     1945 - 488      1947 - 408

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COMMUNIST PARTY SECTION ADDRESSES IN MARSEILLE

1er Arrondissement: Headquarters, 68 rue de Lorette  
Political sec'y., Louis CALISTI

2eme Arrondissement: Headquarters, 28 rue St. Sene  
Political sec'y., Leon MERINO

3eme Arrondissement: Headquarters, 31 rue Guerin

4eme Arrondissement: Headquarters, rue Moural, Maison du Peuple

5eme Arrondissement: Headquarters, 108 Bard Baillie

6eme Arrondissement: Headquarters, 109 Blvd. Vauban, Maison  
du Peuple

7eme Arrondissement: Headquarters, 191 rue d'Endoume

8eme Arrondissement: Headquarters, Chemin du Rouet  
Political sec'y., PELLEGRINI

9eme Arrondissement: Headquarters, 12 route de Cassis

10eme Arrondissement: Headquarters, Ber Port, 40 Ave. Delessert

11eme Arrondissement: Headquarters, 162 Route Nationale,  
St. Marcel

12eme Arrondissement: Headquarters, 31 Barnabe, 18 Chemin de  
St. Julien

13eme Arrondissement: Headquarters, 92 Ave. de St. Just

14eme Arrondissement: Headquarters, Bard de Pons, Bon Secours

15eme Arrondissement: Headquarters, 10 Route de Lyon

16eme Arrondissement: Estaque Gare, Bordure du chemin de fer

Section de Saint Louis: Political secretary, BERT

Section de la Pelle de Sai: Headquarters, 31 rue Guerin

Section St. Lazare: Headquarters, 3 Place de Strasbourg

Section Marine: Headquarters, 25 Blvd. des Douanes

Section Plaine: Headquarters, 39 Place Jean Jaures

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NAMES AND LOCATIONS OF COMMUNIST PARTY CELLS IN MARSEILLE

<u>Name</u>	<u>Location</u>
Cheminsots	Gare St. Charles
APAL	Vieux Marseille
Atattoirs	
Air France	Varignane
Albert ROS	Sebastopol
Alexandre BLANC	Sorgues
AUGIAS	FTT, rue Honnorat
	La Madrague
	Trousat
BACCI	Quartier Lodi
BARNUSSE	Bar du Telephone, 20 rue de Lyon, ARENC
CANATTINI	Estaque Bar du Littoral
CHAMAND	3 Marche des Capucins
COLLUMB	Porte d'Aix, 3 Place de Strasbourg
DEVEROER	Bar Moderne, Avenue d'Arme
DI RUSTO	Bar Robert, 40 rue Emile Zola
Des Douanes	60 rue de Lorette
Eveche	Rue Kleber
Entreprise Paoli	Blvd. Fene
Exceller	12 Chemin de Cassis, Ste. Marguerite
FILI TURIN	3 Marche des Capucins
FELURY	Hopital de la Timone (under leadership of SEASSEAU)
Hopital de la Timone	60 rue de Lorette
Jean PEREZ	Bar des Amis, 9 rue Pautrier
IVARDI	Bar de la Veranda, rue des Grands Carmes
Jean THINQUET	Bar Amer Picon, 3 Blvd. National
LAPPONCE	3 Place de Strasbourg
LEON PORTA	60 rue de Lorette
VANTAUZIER	2 rue Moisson
Paul LANGUEVIN	3 rue Moutet
Securite Sociale	60 rue de Lorette
Vieux Marseille	

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COMMUNISTS HOLDING ELECTED OFFICES IN BOUCHES-DU-RHONDeputies

Francois BILLOUX, Marseille  
 Paul CERMOLAGE, Marseille  
 Jean CRISTOPOL, Marseille  
 Lucien LAMBERT, Marseille  
 Adrien MOUTON, Arles  
 Raymonde NEDELEC, Marseille

Counselors of the Republic

Manuelle BOUVET (alias DUMONT, Marseille)  
 Charles COSTES  
 Leon DAVID

Members of the General Council

Jean BARAILLER	Martin CONTIER
Marcel BADUIN	Jean LAERO
Denis BIZOT	Clement MILLE
Pierre EMMANUELLI	Raymonde NEDELEC
Edmond GARCIN	Josette REYBAUT
Louis OZAONAIRE	Jean SENATORE
Rene GAUTHIER	Ludovic TROVIN

*F. D. Noyes*  
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